

# CITY OF LODI

## COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**AGENDA TITLE:** Presentation Regarding Year 2000 Steering Committee Children's Activity Book

**MEETING DATE:** September 1, 1999

**PREPARED BY:** City Clerk

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** That Mayor Land present Certificates of Appreciation to those involved in the creation of the Year 2000 Steering Committee Children's Activity Book.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** Several months ago, the Year 2000 Steering Committee called together a number of local artists to assist in creating a commemorative activity book for the children of this community as a means of celebrating the new millennium. The book is now complete and ready for printing. It was suggested by school officials that the book would be most appropriate for first grade through third grade students.

The following artists most graciously gave of their time and talent in creating this charming book about the City of Lodi.

- Joanie Selman-Prince
- Marjorie B. Preszler
- Joan Wickard Lehman
- Beverly Felton
- Eunice Jewart
- Tony Segale
- Virginia Rippey
- Kate Nelson
- Beverly Kay

The Lodi Unified School District (LUSD) has agreed to do the printing and distribution to the approximately 5,000 students in these grades at cost.

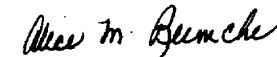
In addition, the Bank of Lodi has most graciously agreed to pay the printing costs of approximately \$4,000. It is our intention to have the project complete so that these activity books can be distributed shortly before the end of the year.

The following representatives from the Bank of Lodi will be present to be introduced and acknowledged for their most gracious contribution to this project:

- Leon Zimmerman, President/CEO
- Jan Young, Vice President/Marketing Officer
- Bo Katzakian, Director, First Financial Bankcorp & Bank of Lodi

Mayor Land will be presenting Certificates of Appreciation to the participating artists and to Bank of Lodi officials at this meeting.

**FUNDING:** None required.

  
Alice M. Reimche  
City Clerk

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_  
H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager